

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 October 29 2014 to 1800 October 29 2014



McWay Falls, south of Big Sur in Julia Pfeiffer Burns State Park, Monterey County.
Photo Credit: John Harrison Photography



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SITUATION SUMMARY

PUBLIC HEALTH AND MEDICAL (EF-8) State Health Officer Issues Risk-Based Quarantine Order to Provide Consistent Guidelines for Counties

- There continues to be no reported or confirmed cases of Ebola in California.
- State Health Officer and California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Director Dr. Ron Chapman today took action to help prevent any potential spread of the disease in the state by issuing a quarantine order and associated guidelines that require counties to individually assess persons at risk for Ebola and tailor an appropriate level of quarantine as needed.
- The order which applies to anyone traveling to California who has 1) traveled to California from an Ebola affected area; and 2) has had contact with someone who has a confirmed case of Ebola, requires those travelers to be quarantined for 21 days.
- A person traveling to this region that has not come into contact with a person with Ebola will not be subject to quarantine.
- Full press release with hyperlink to the order is attached

Aircraft Down, Navy Base Ventura County – Point Migu

- On 10/29/14 at 1713 hours a Hawker Hunter single pilot aircraft from Navy Base Ventura County (NVBC) - Point Migu crashed on approach. The crash site is located north of the runway in an agriculture field. The Cal OES Law Branch has confirmed (1) fatality.
- NBVC activated its Emergency Operations Center (EOC).
- Ventura County EOC is activated to a Level 1 to support NBVC and the Incident Command Post (ICP).
- Unified Command has been established with Ventura County Sherriff, Ventura County Fire Department, and the Navy Base Ventura County - Point Migu.
- The Ventura County OES Duty Officer is on scene at the Command Post.
- The Cal OES Executive Duty Officer (EDO), Southern Region Regional Administrator (RA), Cal OES Law Duty Officer, Cal OES Southern Duty Officer, and Cal OES Region personnel are monitoring.

CAL OES COASTAL REGION

- San Francisco DEM will activate their EOC today for the 7th Game of the World Series.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

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Week-Ahead Weather: Key Points

Thursday-Friday

- Rain and thunderstorms moving into NW CA Thursday night, shifting as far south as central and parts of srn CA by Friday
- Potential for accumulating heavy snow and travel impacts in the northern and central Sierra beginning on Friday (slick roads, blowing snow, low visibility)
- Gusty winds near the Sierra Crest, and also southern mountain downslopes and deserts (blowing dust, aviation turbulence)

Saturday-Sunday

- Heavy snow potential remaining in the northern and central Sierra Saturday, decreasing on Sunday

Monday-Wednesday

- No significant hazards or impacts expected
- Rain possible again NW CA Mon-Tue
- Gradual warming trend



California OES Impact Threat Matrix

Oct 30, 2014 – Nov 05, 2014

DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather							
Winds		Srn mtn ridges/deserts					
Extreme Cold							
Snow		Nrn & Cntrl Sierra	Nrn & Cntrl Sierra				
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding							
River Flooding							
Severe Weather							
Heat							
Tropical							

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat
	No Discernible Threat



Day 2-3 Weather Hazards

Valid: 0800 Fri – 0800 Sun

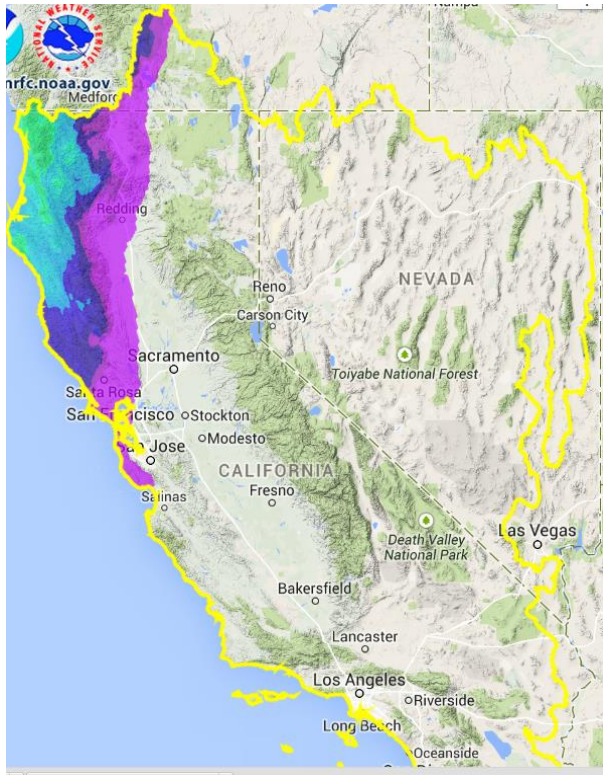


- *Significant mountain snowfall accumulations possible, mainly northern and central Sierra*
- *Gusty aftn/eve west-nw winds mainly Friday, south ridges and deserts. Blowing dust possible, and turbulence (aviation)*

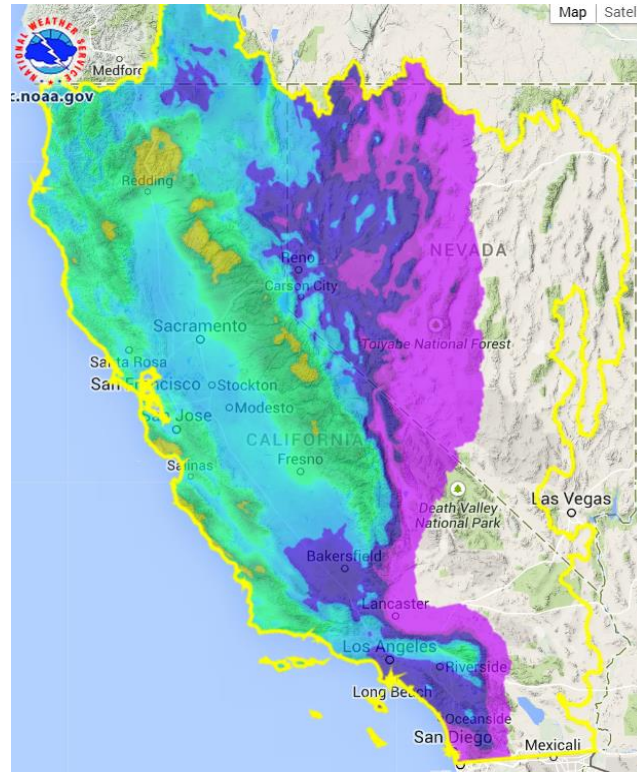
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Days 1-3 Precipitation Forecast

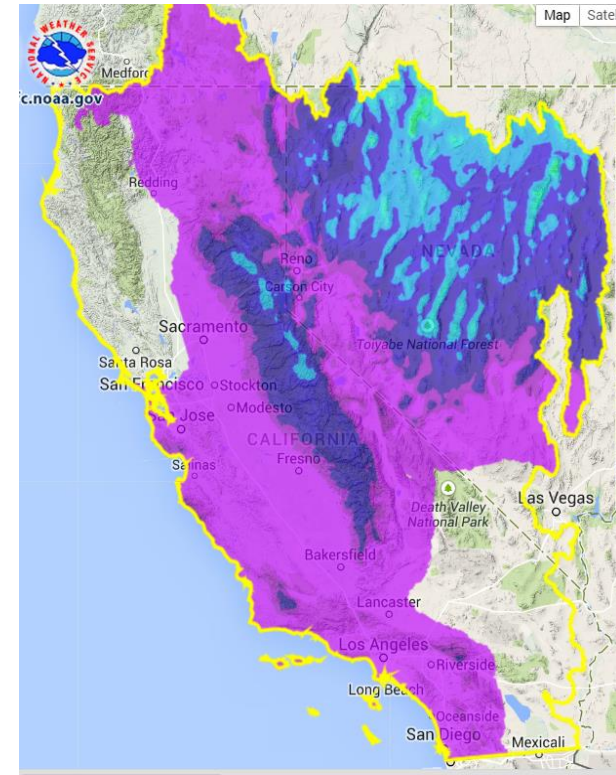
Precipitation (inches)



Thursday



Friday



Saturday

Storm total precipitation: 1-2" possible NW CA, 1-1.5" northern & central Sierra, ~ 1 inch coastal and inland ranges and 0.25-0.50" valleys



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WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

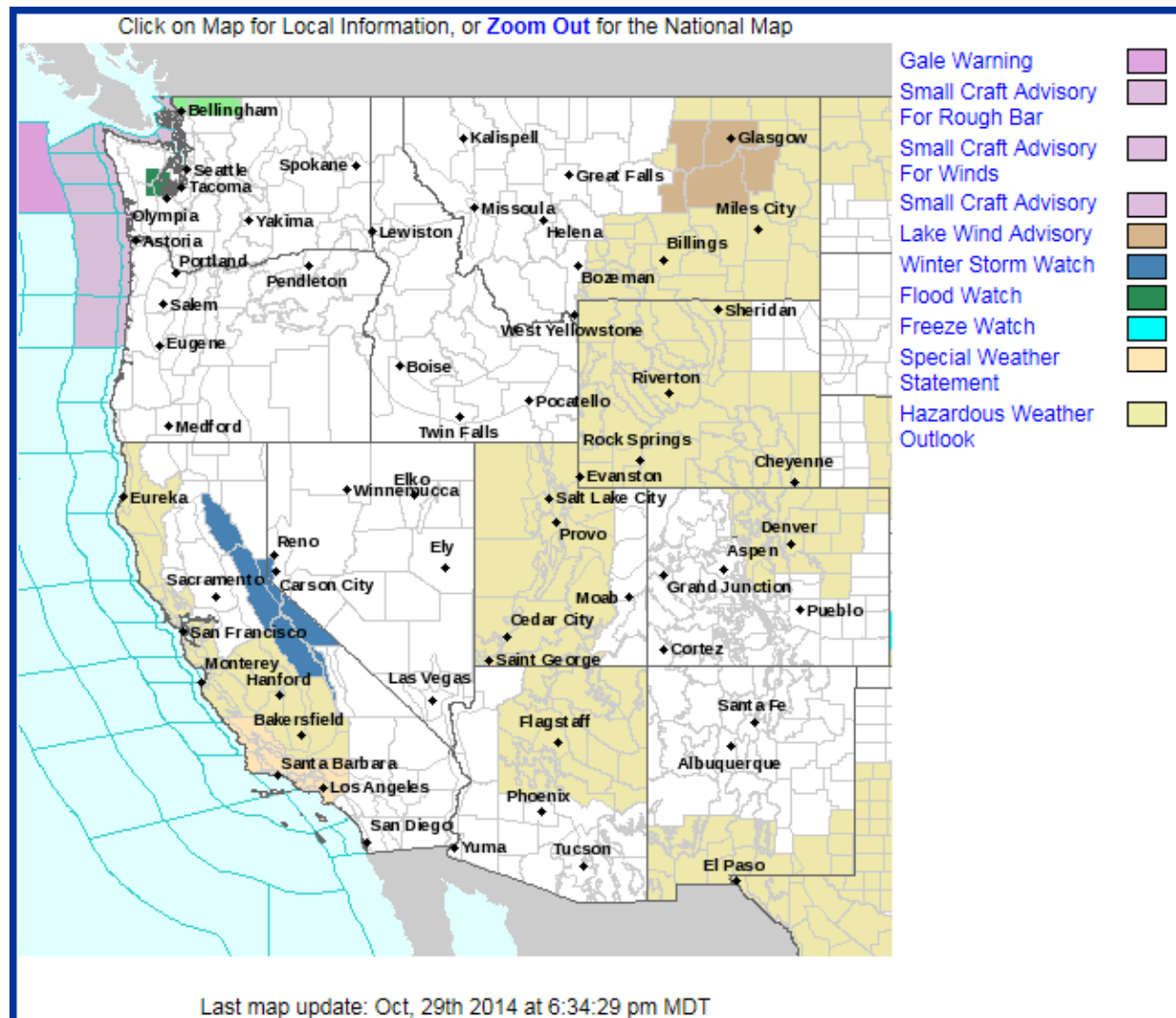
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Seasonably mild and dry today and Thursday along with gradually increasing southwest winds ahead of a strong but slowly approaching storm system from the Gulf of Alaska. Strongest winds should be confined to the ridge tops today but will mix down to the surface in many areas Thursday at 10-20 mph with gusts over 30 mph across the ridges, especially the Sierra/Cascades. Precipitation moves onshore late Thursday night along the coast, slowly spreading inland Friday and continuing into Saturday. Moderate amounts of 0.25-0.75 inches expected in most areas with locally higher amounts in the northern mountains. This will be a cold system, with snow levels beginning near 6000 feet but falling to 3500-4500 feet by the tail end of the storm. Drier and warmer northerly flow Sunday into early next week, before another trough approaches by the midweek period with a return to cool onshore flow.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

One last day of sunny, warm and dry weather can be expected today before cooler, wetter weather develops toward the weekend. Highs temperatures will approach 90 degrees this afternoon across the interior valleys and lower foothills of Southern California to the 70's in the mountains. Minimum relative humidity will drop into the teens once again this afternoon. Thursday, clouds will increase ahead of a Pacific storm system which is slated to arrive Friday. Temperatures will drop 5-8 degrees across most of the area Thursday due a return of onshore flow and some high cloudiness during the afternoon. Early Friday morning, steady rain will begin across the northern part of the state. A cold front will slowly drop southward during the day, bringing a band of light rain into the Central Coast region by Friday afternoon. This rain will eventually reach southern California during the overnight hours Friday into Saturday morning. It will turn very windy over the deserts and the Owens Valley Friday where south winds of 20-30 mph with gusts to 45 mph will be possible throughout the day. During this time, 0.50-0.75 inches of precipitation looks likely along the Central Coast and in the Sierras north of Fresno County. Rainfall will be much lighter south of Point Conception where 0.10-0.25 inches will be possible, mainly north and west of Los Angeles County. The system will pass east of the region Saturday, but some lingering showers will be possible near the high terrain through the evening. Strong west winds will be possible over the deserts. Temperatures Saturday will likely remain in the 60's across many lower elevations. Slightly warmer and less windy weather is expected Sunday. Early next week, high pressure is expected to rebuild over the area, leading to much warmer and drier weather once again. Highs will likely be well into the 80's by next Tuesday with low daytime relative humidity. Some offshore flow will be possible Monday and Tuesday, but at this time, wind speeds do not appear to be very strong.

STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The filing deadline to return applications for property damage is 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15.
- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. The VAL will continue to provide guidance to the LTRG group and is meeting with subcommittees on 10/29/14, and the Executive Board on 10/30/14.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyous.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at <https://weed.recovers.org/>.
- Food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.
- [CalRecycle is beginning the process of contacting property owners for the removal of trees. Homeowners will be asked to sign a separate Disposition of Tree Agreement \(DTA\). No tree removal will begin on a property until the DTA is signed. Tree stumps will not be removed. Tree removal is slated to begin next week.](#)
- [On 10/28/14, the City of Weed reestablished water pressure to its downtown area; however, the water storage capacity for fire suppression is still lacking. The City expects water storage to be restored by 12/31/14, or sooner if the weather permits.](#)

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Cal Recycle reports:

Air monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community.

22,409.22 total tons of debris have been removed as of Day 25 of operations (445.23 tons of metal delivered for recycling; 7,663.48 tons of concrete delivered for recycling; and 14,300.51 tons of debris, ash and soil delivered for disposal)

The Numbers as of Day 25

- 133 Sites registered for the removal project (Right-of-Entry, includes library, community center and 2 churches).
- 12 Sites denied entry.
- 133 Sites documented.
- 133 Asbestos surveys completed.
- 65 Sites with asbestos containing material.
- 65 Sites cleared of asbestos containing material.
- 126 Debris removal completed.
- 97 Sites sampled.
- 22 Sample results approved.
- 0 Erosion control completed.
- 0 Approved by City of Weed as ready for a building permit.

Cal OES Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Recovery staff is assigned.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.

Recovery Activities

- The deadline for Cal OES to submit the Request for Public Assistance of potential applicants to be considered for reimbursement for this event ended, 10/24/14. Fifty-nine (59) RPAs were received and eight (8) were withdrawn for a total of fifty-one (51) RPAs submitted to FEMA. [Thirty-One \(31\)](#) Kickoff Meetings have been completed.
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. The VERG has reached out to nonprofit partners regarding a general member meeting scheduled for October 31, 2014.
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). The LAC is open until further notice.
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CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC and REOCs are activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

CAL OES MISSIONS

On Going Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-7303, 10/27/14**, Yolo County Sheriff's Office requesting HRD dogs for a missing person search in the Rumsey Canyon area. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources. **Mission On-going.**

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-7337, 10/29/14**, Tuolumne County Sherriff, requested 20 ground personnel, 2 trailing dogs, and a helicopter for a search for a missing hunter. As resources were being identified the subject was located alive and well.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.